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Subject:

**Divisional Patent Application** of

Serial No.: 09/547,236 4/11/00

**WEI-CHIEH HSU** 

DITCH TYPE FLOATING RING FOR CHEMICAL

**MECHANICAL POLISHING** 

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is a preliminary amendment for the above referenced Divisional Patent

Application. Please amend the above identified application for patent as follows:

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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